

Reuse, Implementation, City of Novato, Marin County, CA, Due: May 22, 1995, Contact: Robert Koenigs (916) 557-6712.

EIS No. 950117, DRAFT EIS, AFS, CA, Snowy Trail Off-Highway Vehicle Re-Route, Smith Fork Parcel of Los Padres National Forest, Approval and Implementation, Mount Pinos Ranger District, Ventura County, CA, Due: May 22, 1995, Contact: Mark Bethke (805) 245-3731.

EIS No. 950118, DRAFT EIS, IBR, WA, ND, OR, ID, NV, MT, SD, WY, NB, UT, CO, CA, NM, OK, KS, AZ, TX, Acreage Limitation and Water Conservation Rules and Regulations, Revised and/or New Rules for Replacement and Expansion of Existing Rules pertaining to the Administration of the Reclamation Reform Act of 1982, Implementation in Seventeen Western States, Due: May 31, 1995, Contact: Ronald J. Schuster (303) 236-9336.

EIS No. 950119, LEGISLATIVE DRAFT EIS, AFS, ID, White Sand Creek and a Two-Mile Segment of the Upper Lochsa River Wild and Scenic River Suitability Study for Designation or Nondesignation in the Wild and Scenic Rivers System, Clearwater National Forest, Idaho County, ID, Due: June 6, 1995, Contact: Dennis Elliott (208) 942-3113.

EIS No. 950120, FINAL EIS, FHW, NY, I-26 Mohawk River Crossing connecting NYS Thruway Interchange 26, I-890, NYS-5S and NYS-5 Construction, Funding, US Coast Guard Permits and COE Section 404 Permit, Towns of Rotterdam and Glenville, Schenectady County, NY, Due: May 8, 1995, Contact: Harold J. Brown (518) 472-3616.

EIS No. 950121, FINAL EIS, BOP, MA, Fort Devens, Massachusetts Federal Medical Center Complex (FMCC) and Federal Prison Camp, Construction and Operation, Worcester and Middlesex Counties, MA, Due: May 10, 1995, Contact: Patricia K. Sledge (202) 514-6470.

EIS No. 950122, DRAFT EIS, FTA, IL, St. Clair County Corridor Transit Improvements, Funding, St. Clair County, IL, Due: May 22, 1995, Contact: Lee Waddleton (816) 523-0204.

Amended Notices

EIS No. 940530, DRAFT EIS, BLM, WY, Grass Creek Resource Management Plan, Implementation, Big Horn, Washakie, Hot Springs and Park Counties, WY, Due: May 7, 1995, Contact: Joe Patty (307) 775-6101. Published FR 2-3-95 Review period extended.

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William D. Dickerson,

Director, NEPA Compliance Division, Office of Federal Activities.

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Annual Conference on Analysis of Pollutants in the Environment and Trace Metals Workshop

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of conference and training workshop.

SUMMARY: The Office of Science and Technology and the Water Environment Federation, co-sponsors, will hold the "18th Annual Conference on Analysis of Pollutants in the Environment" to discuss all aspects of environmental measurement. The conference is open to the public. A Workshop on Trace Metals sampling and analysis will precede the conference. This workshop is designed for state and regional authorities.

DATES: The conference will be held on May 3-4, 1995. On May 3, 1995, the conference will begin at 8:45 am and last until 5:15 pm; on May 4, 1995, the conference will begin at 8:45 am and adjourn at 4:30 pm. The Workshop on Trace Metals will be held on May 2, 1995, from 12:30 pm to 5:30 pm.

ADDRESSES: The conference will be held at the Norfolk Waterside Marriott, Norfolk, Virginia. The Trace Metals Workshop will be held at the Omni International Hotel, 777 Waterside Drive, Norfolk, Virginia 23510.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Conference arrangements are being coordinated by the Water Environment Federation. For information on registration, hotel rates, transportation, social events and reservations call the Water Environment Federation Conference Service Line at (800) 666-0206. If you have technical questions regarding the conference program please contact William Telliard, Office of Science and Technology (Mail Code 4303), telephone (202) 260-7120, fax (202) 260-7185.

For information on the Trace Metals Workshop registration requirements or technical program, call Cindy Simbanin, DynCorp Environmental, at (703) 519-1386.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA's 18th Annual Conference on Analysis of Pollutants in the Environment is designed to bring together representatives of regulated industries, commercial environmental laboratories,

state and Federal regulators, and environmental consultants and contractors to discuss all aspects of environmental measurement with a particular focus on analytical methods and related regulatory issues.

A Workshop on Trace Metals Sampling and Analysis for state and regional authorities will precede the full conference and focus on cutting edge issues in the determination of trace metals in ambient waters. The session on trace metals determinations will cover EPA's recent work on sampling and analysis of metals at water quality criteria levels, discussions of clean and ultra-clean techniques, a case study on a project to determine trace metals and to establish chemical translator ratios for the City of Danville, Virginia, and presentation of methods under development for the determination of arsenic, selenium, and mercury at EPA and state ambient water quality criteria levels. The program for the conference follows:

18th Annual EPA Conference on Analysis of Pollutants in the Environment

Wednesday, May 3, 1995

8:45 am Opening Remarks

William Telliard, Director, Analytical Methods Staff, Office of Science and Technology, Office of Water, USEPA

9:00 am Introductory Remarks

Mike Pollen, Water Environment Federation

9:15 am Welcome

James Hanlon, Deputy Office Director, Office of Science and Technology, USEPA

Trace Metals

9:30 am Implementing EPA's Metals Criteria

Elizabeth Southerland, Director, Standards and Applied Sciences Division, Office of Water, USEPA

10:00 am Establishing Trace Metal Clean Facilities in Existing Laboratories

Russell Flegal, University of California at Santa Cruz

10:30-10:45 am Break

10:45 am Determination of Arsenic at Ultra-Trace Levels Using Vapor Generation-Atomic Fluorescence Spectrometry

Reshan Fernando, Research Triangle Institute

11:15 am Temporal Variability in Dissolved Trace Metals in the Houston Ship Channel, Texas

Paul Boothe, Texas A&M University

11:45-1:00 pm Lunch

1:00 pm Trace Mercury Analysis of Biological Fluids

Conrad Naleway and Hwai-Nan Chou, American Dental Association

1:30 pm Analytical Methods for Arsenic in Water with an MDL of 2 ng/L

Eric Crecelius, Chuck Apts, and Steve Kiesser, Battelle Marine Sciences Laboratory

Wednesday, May 3, 1995

Cyanide Methods

- 2:00 pm Present and Future of "Free Cyanide" Determinations
Emil Milosavljevic, University of Nevada, Reno
- 2:30 pm Effects of Metals, Ligands, and Oxidants on Cyanide Analysis; Gold Mining Waste Case Study
Margaret Goldberg, Research Triangle Institute
- 3:00–3:15 pm Break
- 3:15 pm Approaches to the Determination of Total and Available Cyanide in Solid Samples
Ed Heithmar, Environmental Monitoring Systems Laboratory, Las Vegas
- 3:45 pm The Determination of Cyanide in a Chemical Plant's Waste Water Using Ion Chromatography
Susan Gantz Matz, Quantum USI Division
- Analysis Protocols—I

- 4:15 pm EPA's Sediment Toxicity Testing Methods
Teresa Norberg-King, USEPA Environmental Research Laboratory, Duluth and Elizabeth Southerland, Director, Standards and Applied Sciences Division, Office of Water, USEPA
- 4:45 pm Microscale Solvent Extraction Methods for Organic Compound Analyses
David Mauro, META Environmental, Inc.
- 5:15 pm Adjourn

Thursday, May 4, 1995

Quality Control

- 8:45 am Statistical Properties of Low Concentration Measurements and Wastewater Effluent Limitations
Chuck White and Henry Kahn, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- 9:15 am Compliance Monitoring Detection and Quantitation Levels for EPA Method 1653
Larry LaFleur, NCASI
- 9:45 am Seeing the Light From a Blind PE Sample: Rocky Mountain Arsenal's Analytical Laboratory Performance Evaluation System
Angela Barnard-Hatmaker, Martin Marietta Energy Systems, Inc.
- 10:15–10:30 am Break
- 10:30 am Selecting Kinds and Numbers of QC Samples for More Defensible Environmental Analyses
Larry Keith, Radian Corporation
- 11:00 am Approaches to Quality Control of Non-Linear Calibration Relationships for SW-846 Methods
Harry McCarty, SAIC

Sampling Protocols

- 11:30 am VOA Compositing Study
Dale Rushneck, Interface
- 12:00–1:15 pm Lunch
- 1:15 pm The Evaluation and Application of a Large Volume In-Situ Resin Sampler for Monitoring Trace Organic Compounds in Ambient Water
Hans Biberhofer, Environment Canada
- 1:45 pm Practical Application of Clean Metals Sampling Protocols to NPDES Monitoring

Will Hunley, Hampton-Roads Sanitation District

- 2:15 pm Residential Environmental Sampling Protocols for Human Exposure Assessment of Lawn Pesticides
Marielle Brinkman, Battelle Columbus

Thursday, May 4, 1995

- 2:45–3:00 pm Break
- Analysis Protocols—II
- 3:00 pm Solid-Phase Microextraction for the Analysis of Industrial Wastewaters
Bruce Colby, Pacific Analytical, Inc.
- 3:30 pm Field Analysis: An Effective Approach to Site Assessment and Remediation
Ileana Rhodes, Shell Development Company
- 4:00 pm Determination of N-Nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA) at Part-per-Trillion Levels in Drinking Waters and Contaminated Groundwaters
Bruce Tomkins, Wayne H. Griest, and Cecil E. Higgins, Oak Ridge National Laboratory
- 4:30 pm Adjourn

Trace Metals Training Workshop Agenda

Tuesday, May 2, 1995.

12:00 noon

Introductory Remarks: William A. Telliard, USEPA

Mr. Telliard will provide an overview of the WQC levels for trace metals determinations and the topics to be discussed in the workshop to aid attendees in resolving the problems associated with the sampling and analysis of trace metals, including the difficulty in precluding contamination.

Requirements for Determination of Trace Metals: James A. Hanlon, USEPA

Mr. Hanlon will give a background on the need for the determination of trace metals at WQC levels as required by the Clean Water Act and will discuss the detection and quantitation limits necessary to ensure reliable determination of trace metals at these levels.

Overview of the Sampling and Analysis Process for Trace Metals Determinations: Carlton Hunt, Battelle Ocean Sciences

Dr. Hunt will explain how to organize and manage a project for sampling, analysis, data validation, and quality control to ensure that reliable trace metals determinations are made.

Field Sampling for Trace Metals: William A. Telliard, USEPA

Mr. Telliard will discuss "clean-hands/dirty-hands" sampling techniques, the use of protective gloves and clothing to prevent contamination, and the processing of equipment blanks to ensure reliable sampling. Videos of sampling will be used to supplement this presentation.

Laboratory Determinations of Trace Metals: Russell Flegal, University of California at Santa Cruz

Dr. Flegal will describe the set-up and operation of a trace metals laboratory, including the clean room, clean benches, and

the equipment and analytical techniques required for determination of each metal.

Quality Assurance, Quality Control, and Data Reliability: Dale Rushneck, Interface, Inc.

Mr. Rushneck will discuss the inter-relationship between quality control testing and the production of reliable data of defensible quality.

Verification and Validation of Trace Metals Data: Lynn Riddick, DynCorp Environmental

Ms. Riddick will provide examples of data review checklists that can be used to determine the reliability of trace metals results. These checklists outline the summary level quality control data required by the analytical methods.

Case Study for Compliance and Determination of Translators: John N. Leonard, Hazen and Sawyer

Dr. Leonard will present the requirements, criteria, background, sampling, analysis, and outcome of a project to determine trace metals and establish chemical translator ratios for the city of Danville, Virginia.

5:30 pm Adjourn

Dated: March 30, 1995.

James A. Hanlon,

Acting Director, Office of Science and Technology.

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Revocation of Sulfide Waiver Granted on April 17, 1986, to W.B. Place Tannery Discharging to City of Hartford Subject to Pretreatment Standards Under 40 CFR Part 425

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The City of Hartford (hereinafter referred to as "Hartford"), Wisconsin, operates a publicly owned treatment works (POTW) which accepts wastewater from a leather tanning and finishing facility which is subject to pretreatment standards at 40 CFR part 425. Pursuant to 40 CFR 425.04(c) Hartford certified to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) on April 11, 1984, that discharge of sulfide from the tannery would not interfere with the operation of the POTW. On April 17, 1986, U.S. EPA placed notice at 51 FR 13092-13093 stating that, pursuant to 40 CFR part 425, the following tannery would not be subject to the categorical sulfide pretreatment standard: W.B. Place Tannery, 368 West Summer Street, Hartford, Wisconsin.

On August 31, 1994, Hartford requested that U.S. EPA rescind the categorical sulfide pretreatment waiver